St. Catharines Collegiate Institute
and
Vocational School

CONCERT SERIES

1954

FOR OUR FOURTH CONCERT

WE PROUDLY PRESENT THE

Leslie Bell Singers

8:15 p.m.
January 13, 1954

- THE LESLIE BELL SINGERS -

This internationally famous and ever-popular group of girls needs no introduction to our Collegiate Concert Series patrons. They are the perennial favourites of our series. Because of popular demand, tonight's apperance marks the fourth consecutive year they have appeared under our sponsorship.

The credit for the success of the group must go to their capable and versatile leader, Dr. Leslie Bell - to his personnel selection, to his direction technique and to his unique arranging. In selecting his singers, Dr. Bell stresses talent and eagerness rather than professional training, which has resulted in the freshness and enthusiasm so apparent in the ensemble. Dr. Bell's directing is superb; while his hypnotic hands tell the girls what to do, his equally sensitive face tells them how they are doing it.

Dr. Bell is a talented musician with wide experience and education, and his excellent arrangements include all types of music - classical, popular, folk songs, operettas, spirituals, church, show medleys, etc. You will get a generous sampling of his varied and unusual arranging in tonight's programme.

The Bell Singers, the quartet, and Joyce Sullivan are heard or seen each Sunday evening over CBL and CBLT on the Canadian General Electric program.

- PROGRAMME -

1. The Lord's Prayer . . . . . Mallotte
2. Jesus Refulsit . . . . . Ancient Carol
3. Theme from the Moonlight Sonata . . . . . Beethoven
4. Two Spirituals:
   (a) Were You There?
   (b) Walk Together Chillun'
5. The Golden Age of Opera

- INTERMISSION -

Cavalcade: A Cantata for Chorus and Narrator

1. The Good Old Days
2. The First Holocaust
3. The Roaring Twenties
4. The Hungry Thirties
5. The Second Holocaust
6. The Frightened Present

Epilogue: The Years Ahead

- INTERMISSION -

1. Vienna Medley
2. My Lovely Celia . . . . . Munro
3. Old MacDonald
4. Introducing Four Girls: Joyce, Joanne, Betty Lou and Barbara
5. College Medley

Choral arrangements
by
Leslie R. Bell, M.A., Mus. D.

NEXT ATTRACTION

February 3 - The Four Chorders

FINAL CONCERT

March 2 - The Don Wright Chorus

The Actors' Guild
of the
St. Catharines C.I.& V.S.

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Friday and Saturday
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8:15 p.m.

All seats reserved at 50¢

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